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London, Octob. 30.

ON Saturday, being the 28 instant, and *St Simon* and *Judes* day, Sir *Thomas Davies* Lord Mayor Elect, was sworn in the *Guildhall* Lord Mayor for the year ensuing, where, according to the usual Custom, the Regalia of the Mayoralty were delivered into the hands of the new Lord Mayor, by Sir *Joseph Sheldon*, who then surrendred his Chair and Office of Lord Mayor, which he had discharged with so much prudence and generosity, as well to the great satisfaction of His Majesty, as to the honor and extraordinary content of the City. And this day Sir *Thomas Davies* the new Lord Mayor, accompanied by the late Lord Mayor, the Aldermen and Sheriffs of the City, attended by the Masters, Wardens and Liveries of the several Companies in their respective Barges, adorned with Banners, Streamers, Colours, and other Ornaments, went to *Westminster*, and having there taken the usual Oath before my Lord Chief Baron in the Court of Exchequer, returned again by water to *Black-fryars*, and being received there by the Artillery Company, (of whom there was a very extraordinary appearance) passed thence up *Ludgate-street* through *Pauls* Churchyard and *Cheapside*, to the *Guildhall*, with the usual Solemnity: Their Majesties, accompanied by their Royal Highnesses, and the Lady *Mary*, and the Lady *Anne*, and attended by many of the principal Nobility, and other Persons of Quality, having been pleased, according to the humble invitation of the City, to honor them with their Presence first at the Show in *Cheapside*, (being placed in a Balcony under a Canopy of State near the Standard) and afterwards at the *Guildhall* at Dinner, where the Entertainment was great and magnificent in all kinds, very much to the Satisfaction of their Majesties, and the whole Court.

His Majesty having formerly conferred the Honour of Knighthood upon Sir *John Peake* one of the present Sheriffs, was this day pleased to confer the same Honour upon the other Sheriff Sir *Thomas Stamp*.

Vienna, Octob. 25. The 22 instant was performed here the Funerals of the Archdutchess of *Inspruck*, Mother to the late Empress, at which assisted his Imperial Majesty, the Empress Dowager, *&c.* It is said that the Council of State hath prayed the Emperor will be pleased to hasten the consummation of his Marriage with the Princess of *Newbourg*, and that he will not defer it so long, as till *January* next, as the Emperor at first declared his intentions to be. In the mean time the Prince of *Dietrichstein* has orders to begin his journy to *Newbourg*, from whence he is to conduct the Imperial Bride to *Lintz*, where the Marriage will be celebrated. Colonel *Faques* having been killed in the Siege of *Demmin* in *Pomeren*, the Emperor has given his Regiment of Dragoons to Major-General *Schultz*, in recompence of the good services performed by him. On Thursday last arrived here an Envoy from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, who, it's said, comes to Negotiate some private matters in this Court.

Dantzick, Octob. 28. After the Reports we had here (of which we gave you an account in our last) of the Kings having been engaged with the *Turks* and *Tartars*, and of the disadvantages his Majesty was under, comes a more welcome Messenger, who brings us the news of a Peace being concluded between his Majesty and the Infidels; for yesterday arrived here two Expresses dispatched by the Sieur Director of this City, who at present attends the Queen at *Fanowa*, to acquaint the Senate, that her Majesty had received certain advice, that a Peace had been concluded between the *Polish* and *Turkish* Commissioners, the particulars were not yet known, but in the mean time our Magistrates have commanded publick thanks to be given in all Churches for this happy News.

Berlin, Octob. 27. There has not as yet hapned any considerable Action before *Stetin*, farther than that some small skirmishes have passed between the Besiegers and the *Suedes*, who have made several small Sallies. According to our last advices from the Camp, his Electoral Highness had caused two or three Batteries to be raised, and they were at work to plant the Cannon upon them, in order to the battering the place; but after all, we can hardly believe that his Electoral Highness means to continue the Siege, for the ill weather has already occasioned so general a sickness among the Soldiers, that they will not be able to remain in the Field much longer. But on the other side, we cannot comprehend the reason of his Electoral Highnesses causing all his heavy Cannon to be brought thither, which cannot be done at this time of the year without great difficulty, if he means to quit the Siege: a short time will fully inform us of his Electoral Highnesses intentions herein.

Copenhagen, Octob. 31. The *Danish* Fleet is now all come in, except the Men of War that are at *Gottenburg*, two of which have Convoyed the Sieur *Guldenlieu* to *Elsenore*, from whence he passed immediately over to *Schonen*, to wait upon the King, who, it's said, is drawing his Forces together again, to oppose the designs of the *Suedes*, who approach towards *Helmstadt*.

Hamburgh, Nov. 3. The last advices we received from the *Brandenburgh* Camp before *Stetin*, say that the Besiegers by force of Cannon, Granadoes, and Fireballs, endeavour to reduce the Besieged to a condition which may oblige them to surrender the place; and if this succeed not, it's said, the Elector will quit the Siege, and only keep the place blocked up this Winter. From *Dantzick* and *Warsaw*, they write of great rejoycing that was there, for the Peace that is concluded between the *Poles* and the *Turks*, of which we know not the conditions, farther than that it's said that the *Poles* have yielded *Caminiec*, and five miles round to the *Turks*.

Francfort, Octob. 28. It is the general belief that the Imperial Army has ere this passed the *Rhine*, which, it's said, the Duke of *Zell* only expects the News of, and then will march directly into *Lorrain*, where the Mareschal *Crequi* has a good Body of Men together to make

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